
Gibson County Board of Commissioners Regular Session July 1, 2008

The Gibson County Board of Commissioners met on July 1, 2008, at 9 AM in the Princeton City Council Chambers.

Members present: Members absent:

N. Sherrell Marginet, Pres. Don Whitehead, VP Bob Townsend Attorney Jerry Stilwell

The meeting was called to order with all present standing and reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

<u>Minutes</u>: The minutes of the previous meeting of June 17, 2008, were approved with a motion by Townsend seconded by Whitehead and passed 3-0.

<u>Claims</u>: The following claims were presented for approval: County General, \$185,032.37; Highway, \$52,717.90; Sheriff, \$34,720.54; Payroll, \$304,576.87. These claims were approved with a motion by Townsend seconded by Whitehead and passed 3-0.

<u>Dept. Reports</u>: <u>Weights & Measures</u>: Gary Dawson gave the monthly report. <u>EMS</u>: Dan Alvey presented the April report requesting the write off amount of \$70,673.94. This was approved with a motion by Whitehead seconded by Townsend and passed 3-0. He then presented the May report and requested the write off amount of \$72,265.79. This was approved with a motion by Townsend seconded by Whitehead and passed 3-0. He also reported that the new ambulance in Owensville-Montgomery Twp is now in use.

<u>Highway</u>: Jerry Heldt gave the monthly report and said that road repair from the latest flood was underway.

Sheriff: George Ballard requested a speed limit change on CR 300S to be posted 30 MPH. This was approved with a motion by Whitehead seconded by Townsend and passed 3-0. John Dyer presented a proposal of medical insurance for the jail that is already being used by a number of Indiana counties.

<u>Debbie Bennett</u>: Ms. Bennett, representing Good Will Industries, requested a sponsorship for an application for grant money for a building project in the county. This was approved with a motion by Townsend seconded by Whitehead and passed 3-0. Redevelopment Board: Jerry Stilwell presented four names to be appointed to the Gibson County Redevelopment Board. It is necessary to do this at this time due to a new state law. George Rehnquist, Helen Hauke, Jim Broshears, and Mark Iunghuhn were reappointed with a motion by Townsend seconded by Whitehead and passed 3-0. Electrical and Water work on Courthouse lawn: Townsend presented a proposal to place underground water and electrical connections to the outer perimeter of the Courthouse lawn to help with all the activities around the courthouse. The estimated cost is \$21,000. Toyota has given the County a \$15,000 grant to do this work and the Tourism Board will pay the remainder. This work was approved with a motion by Townsend seconded by Whitehead and passed 3-0.

<u>Gibson County Federal-Aid System</u> resolution was presented for approval. The resolution was approved with a motion by Townsend seconded by Whitehead and passed 3-0.

<u>Commissioners Old and New Business</u>: *United Minerals* presented a possible road closing of CR 350S in Columbia Twp. *Verizon* request the repositioning of poles on County property due to the road work being done for the bridge construction. This was approved with a motion by Townsend seconded by Whitehead and passed 3-0.

N. Sherrell Marginet, Pres.	Don Whitehead, VP
	Attested:
Bob Townsend	Mary B. Key